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Applicant: Thomas Ebbesen Conf.:  
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For: AN APPARATUS COMPRISING ELECTRONIC  
AND/OR OPTOELECTRONIC CIRCUITY AND  
METHOD FOR REALIZING SAID CIRCUITRY

**DRAWING CORRECTION APPROVAL REQUEST**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
And Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

January 21, 2003

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request the Examiner's approval of the drawing corrections shown in red ink on the attached sheet for Figures 5, 6, and 7, and please substitute Figures 2a through 2e with the attached sheet. The changes are as follows:

In Figure 2d, change "2d" to --2d<sub>1</sub>--.

In Figure 2e, change "2e" to --2d<sub>2</sub> through 2d<sub>5</sub>--.

In Figure 5, please add reference number --100--.

In Figure 6, please add reference number --120--.

In Figure 7, please add the term --sensor--.

No new matter has been added by these changes.

interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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